Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 24 Dec 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 25 Dec 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 24 Dec 2024 at 00:18

Confidence: Generally high confidence, lower for detail of cloud cover at times over the coming days.

Headline for Tuesday 24 Dec 2024: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain and drizzle.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 24 Dec 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Drizzle	Drizzle	Dull	Dull	Dull	Drizzle
Precipitation probability					
60%	50%	20%	20%	30%	50%

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Weather: Extensive low cloud to start with a few outbreaks of rain and drizzle persisting from overnight. Cloud lingering throughout the day with a little drizzle at times. Some cloud breaks perhaps developing during the afternoon and evening, mainly in the east.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 10%

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud often obscuring hills above 400m, but rising to 600m at times, especially during the afternoon and evening, with the odd break possible to the east. A few patches of very low cloud, down to 200m possible in the southwest. Moderate to very poor visibility expected with the extensive cloud, and occasional drizzle. Best visibility across eastern parts during the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/22 W	17/23 W	15/21 W	14/18 W	14/19 W	15/21 W	16/22 W
300	9/19 W	11/21 W	11/21 W	9/17 W	10/18 W	10/20 W	10/20 W
Valley	8/19 W	10/21 W	9/19 W	8/17 W	8/18 W	8/18 W	8/18 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/5	9/5	8/5	8/5	7/3	7/3	7/3
300	10/8	10/8	10/8	10/8	9/6	9/6	9/6
Valley	10/8	11/8	11/9	10/8	9/8	10/8	10/8
Freezing Level*	2700m	2500m	2500m	2500m	2600m	2700m	2700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Poor visibility across moderately high hills, with extensive low cloud and some drizzle. While mild for the time of year, especially in the sheltered valleys, it will remain chilly on the tops when shrouded by cloud, and especially in the drizzle.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Tue 24 Dec 2024	0.6mm	6.6mm	16.6mm

Forecast for Wednesday 25 Dec 2024

Weather: Cloudy with a little drizzle during the overnight period. Cloud lingering through the day but generally drier and brighter than Tuesday, with a chance for a few sunny spells throughout.

Maximum wind: Southwest 10-15 mph, gusting 25-30 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 20% at first rising to 40%

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud often obscuring hills above 400m at first, but rising to 600m and occasionally 800m by the afternoon. Cloud also becoming more scattered than previous day, with some clear spells, especially across eastern hills. Poor to very poor visibility expected at first with the extensive cloud, and occasional drizzle, but improving to Moderate and occasionally Good in any brighter intervals.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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